

# **Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Program**

## **Curriculum Outline**

### **Massachusetts Department of Public Health**

- Introduction and Acknowledgments
- Orientation for SANE Course, Expectations, Evaluations
- SANE History, Mission Statement
- Role of SANE and MA SANE Program
- Overview of Sexual Assault
- Male Sexual Assault
- Acute Reactions to Sexual Assault and SANE
- Mediating Factors
- Impact of Sexual Assault on Significant Others
- SANE's Response to Sexual Assault
- Sexual Assault Kit Review and Demonstration
- Normal Anatomy & Physiology, Human Sexual Response and Implications for Sexual Assault Victims
- Normal Male Anatomy and Physiology
- Pregnancy Issues
- General Trauma Assessment
- Wound Identification
- Limited Pelvic Exam
- Physical Examination of the Male Sexual Assault Survivor
- Documentation
- STD's
- HIV & HIV Post Exposure Prophylaxis
- Substance Related Sexual Assault
- Rape Crisis Centers and SANE
- Confidentiality & Privacy
- Forensic Photography
- Practicum Sequence:      Limited Pelvic Exam  
   Forensic Photography  
   Role Synthesis  
   Sexual Assault Evidence Collection
- Cultural Perspectives Panel Discussion
- Police Response to Sexual Assault
- Overview of Judicial System
- Court Preparation and Testimony
- Defense Strategies
- Mock Trial
- Putting It All Together
- Domestic Violence in the Context of Sexual Assault
- Cultural Diversity and Immigrant and Refugee Sexual Assault Patients
- Adolescent/Pediatric Sexual Assault Patients
- Sexual Assault Patients with Disabilities